

PATENT APPLICATION

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re the application of: Attorney Docket No.: 2733.27US01  
Jago Pridie Confirmation No.: 9020  
Application No.: 10/528907 Examiner: Lee, Edmund H.  
Filed: March 23, 2005 Group Art Unit: 1791  
For: METHOD AND APPARATUS FOR JOINING AIRCRAFT COMPONENTS

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RESPONSE TO RESTRICTION REQUIREMENT

Mail Stop Amendment  
Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Dear Sir:

In response to the Office Action dated October 7, 2008 and in accordance with the automatic extension of time for response provided by 37 CFR § 1.136(a), Applicant, provides that a Preliminary Amendment filed on March 23, 2005 supersedes the present Restriction Requirement wherein Claims 1-25 were canceled without prejudice. The current Restriction Requirement is drawn to those claims. Thus applicant is unable to respond.

The present amendment comprises the following sections:

- A. Listing of the Claims
- B. Remarks

*Please grant any extension of time necessary for entry; charge any fee due to Deposit Account No. 16-0631.*